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A PROBABLE HF/DF COMMUNICATIONS FACILITY IS NEWLY IDENTIFIED 20 NAUTICAL MILES WEST OF SIMFEROPOL, USSR AT 44-59N 33-37E. IT CONSISTS OF A CENTRALLY LOCATED CONTROL BUILDING WITH EIGHT RADIATING FEEDER LINES IN A SYMMETRICAL PATTERN. EACH LINE TERMINATES AT A POINT CONTAINING AN UNIDENTIFIED ELEMENT. IN ADDITION, THE FACILITY CONTAINS FOUR PROBABLE FISHBONE RECEIVING ANTENNAS, AT LEAST TWO PROBABLE HORIZONTAL DIPOLE ANTENNAS AND ONE QUADRANT ANTENNA. THERE ARE AT LEAST FIVE SUPPORT BUILDINGS SCATTERED THROUGHOUT THE FACILITY. THIS IS THE SEVENTH FACILITY OF THIS CONFIGURATION TO BE IDENTIFIED IN THE USSR. SIX OF THEM ARE LOCATED ALONG THE WESTERN PERIPHERY OF THE USSR AND THE SEVENTH IS LOCATED AT MOSCOW.

THE FACILITY WAS FIRST OBSERVED UNDER CONSTRUCTION

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